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Swedish Patent No. 43587 discloses figures that appear to depict a motorized apparatus that distributes material by way of a rotating disk.

German publication No. 27 03 329 discloses figures that appear to depict a motorized device that includes a plurality of vertically-oriented, angled blades that are driven by a motorized drive shaft.

These non-English language disclosures are being cited for completeness, even though it is believed that these disclosures are cumulative of other art cited in the Information Disclosure Statement. Applicants will incur the costs of translating these documents if so requested by the Patent Office.

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